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SUBJECT: Minutes of Special Group Meeting, 21 February 1962

PRESENT: General Taylor and Mr. Bundy; Mr. Johnson; Mr. Gilpatric

and General Lemmitzer; Mr. McCone

1. Cube

General Lansdale and Mr. Harvey met with the Group for a discussion of Cuba. Further consideration of this subject was deferred until a special meeting at 4:00 Monday, 26 February.

NSC review(s) completed.

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4. Economic Action

Hr. McConm expressed the feeling that the use of CIA funds for operations of this kind might not be entirely appropriate. After further discussion of the project, however, the Group agreed that it was a desirable one and it was approved as presented.

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6. South American Assessment Team Report

General Taylor asked the Group to read Secretary Busk's memorandum of transmittal of Parts I and II of the SAAT Report and to be prepared to comment at the next meeting as to whether the Special Group (CI) should take cognizance of this report.

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Distribution

Mr. Johnson

Mr. Gilpatric

Mr. McCone

General Taylor